PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the month of March marked the 25th anniversary of the United States Navy Seabees and the 100th anniversary of the United States Navy Civil Engineering Corps, of which the Seabees are a branch, and;

WHEREAS, the Ninth Naval District including South Dakota is proud to be the home base for the Second Naval Construction Regiment (Reserve) of more than 2,500 men, and;

WHEREAS, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, contains Reserve Division Units of Seabees active in business and civic life, and;

WHEREAS, these units now have men serving in Vietnam, and;

WHEREAS, there are now six construction battalions serving the United States in Vietnam, constructing military installations while defending themselves against enemy attack, and;

WHEREAS, the distinction the Seabees have achieved is further evidenced by the fact that a Seabee was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor for his valiant effort in the Vietnam conflict;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, NILS A. BOE, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the year 1967 as--

SEABEE YEAR IN SOUTH DAKOTA

and urge that my fellow citizens join with me in a salute to this courageous and dedicated group of our countrymen who are serving with perserverance and stamina in the face of great danger so that all people may enjoy freedom and live in peace and harmony.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed at Pierre, the Capitol City, this 10th day of April, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-seven.

Nils A. Boe
NILS A. BOE, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alma Larson
(MISS) ALMA LARSON
SECRETARY OF STATE

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